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SUBJECT: COMMERCIAL ACTION PROGRAM (CAP) TASK FORCE MEETING,  
SEPTEMBER 26, 1974

REFS: STATE A-6839, AUGUST 30, 1974; STATE 199377

1. TASK FORCE REVIEWED CAP CALENDAR OF ACTIONS AND NOTED  
THAT MOST ACTIONS HAD BEEN COMPLETED AS SCHEDULED.

2. A. WHILE WE HAVE FOLLOWED UP ON THE PMMI EXHIBIT, WE  
ARE NOT AWARE THAT ANY NICARAGUANS ARE PLANNING TO ATTEND.  
WE HAVE BEGUN WORK ON UPDATING THE FTI. CORRECTED DATA  
ON 100 FIRMS WILL BE SUBMITTED SEPTEMBER 30. CORRECTED  
DATA ON ADDITIONAL FIRMS WILL BE SUBMITTED MONTHLY UNTIL  
THE WHOLE LIST IS REVISED.

B. THE REPRESENTATIONAL SCHEDULE WILL SLIP A LITTLE AS  
WE ARRANGE WITH USIA FOR FILMS FOR SHOWING. ONCE THE  
FILMS ARE AVAILABLE, WE PLAN TO PROCEED WITH FALL SCHEDULE.

3. WITH REFERENCE TO REPAIR, TASK FORCE APPRECIATED  
SUGGESTION THAT STUDY OF THIRD COUNTRY COMPETITION BE MADE.  
WHEN COMPLETE IMPORT STATISTICS FOR 1973 ARE PUBLISHED,  
WHICH SHOULD BE IN OCTOBER OR NOVEMBER, WE WILL IDENTIFY  
PRODUCT AREAS IN WHICH THIRD COUNTRIES ARE MOST DOMINANT  
AND MAKE A STUDY OF THE REASONS FOR THIS DOMINANCE FOR A  
SELECTED NUMBER OF SUCH PRODUCTS.

4. IN RESPONSE TO PARAGRAPH 3 OF REPAIR, TASK FORCE NOTED  
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THAT CAMPAIGN NO. 1, ACTION 5, IS SCHEDULED FOR JUNE 1975,

NOT JUNE 1974.

5. TASK FORCE NOTED THAT REFTTEL CANCELLED TRADE MISSION  
SCHEDULED FOR DECEMBER AND REMOVED ALL RELATED ACTIONS FROM CAP.

6. USAID REPRESENTATIVE REPORTED THAT A \$40,000,000  
COMMERCIAL LOAN WAS BEING DISPERSED AMONG SEVERAL GON  
AGENCIES AND SUGGESTED THAT SHE AND ECON OFFICER FOLLOW  
UP TO DEVELOP TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.  
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